TABLE 3. EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF UTAH'S POPULATION AND NONAGRICULTURAL JOBS BY INDUSTRY
(Numbers in Thousands, Seasonally Adjusted)

	Aug. '84	Aug. '83	Percent Change	July '84	June '84	May '84	Apr. '84	Mar. '84	Feb. '84	Jan. '84	Dec. '83
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	**702.4**	693.9	1.2	701.4	696.1	696.7	701.6	708.1	709.8	712.2	692.6
TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS	**658.2**	631.9	4.2	657.0	654.6	651.1	654.9	658.6	658.6	656.7	640.6
UNEMPLOYED PERSONS	**44.2**	61.9	—28.6	44.3	41.5	45.6	46.7	49.4	51.2	55.5	51.9
Unemployment Rate	**6.3**	8.9	—	6.3	6.0	6.5	6.7	7.0	7.2	7.8	7.5
NONAGRICULTURAL JOBS[1]	**598.4**	565.3	5.9	595.5	595.5	591.5	591.2	588.8	587.3	588.5	581.1
Mining	**12.3**	13.8	—10.9	12.1	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.8	14.2	14.6
Contract Construction	**33.4**	29.8	12.1	33.2	33.0	32.9	33.2	33.1	32.1	32.1	30.5
Manufacturing	**95.2**	86.6	9.9	94.5	94.2	94.0	93.7	92.5	91.4	90.6	89.7
Durable Goods	**68.0**	60.1	13.1	67.3	67.0	66.8	66.3	65.3	64.2	63.6	62.4
Nondurable Goods	**27.2**	26.5	2.6	27.2	27.2	27.2	27.4	27.2	27.2	27.0	27.3
Trans., Comm., & Publ. Util.	**36.4**	33.8	7.7	36.2	36.1	36.1	36.3	36.3	36.9	37.2	37.1
Trade	**142.4**	134.4	6.0	142.6	141.3	139.8	139.7	138.8	137.7	137.3	135.8
Wholesale	**36.4**	34.7	4.9	36.4	36.1	36.1	36.0	35.9	35.4	35.1	34.6
Retail	**106.0**	99.7	6.3	106.2	105.2	103.7	103.7	102.9	102.3	102.2	101.2
Finance, Ins., & Real Est.	**29.9**	28.3	5.7	29.8	29.6	29.7	29.3	29.2	29.2	29.1	28.7
Services	**117.1**	111.0	5.5	116.5	116.2	115.0	114.9	115.5	115.6	115.8	114.4
Government	**132.4**	128.3	3.2	131.2	131.3	130.4	130.3	129.8	129.9	129.9	130.6
Federal	**37.5**	36.8	1.9	37.0	37.1	37.3	37.2	37.3	37.3	37.3	37.4
State	**36.4**	34.1	6.7	36.3	35.6	34.6	34.6	34.4	34.6	34.5	34.7
Local	**58.5**	57.4	1.9	57.9	58.6	58.5	58.5	58.1	58.0	58.1	58.5

[1] Includes full and part-time jobs held by individuals, including multiple jobs held by the same person. Job figures are by place of work.
f = forecast, p = preliminary, r = revised. This forecast unemployment rate represents an advanced estimate consistent with the definition applicable to the CPS rate. This forecast rate should not be used for federal funding applications.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 4. DISTRIBUTION OF NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY SEX, AND PRODUCTION WORKERS, BY INDUSTRY, IN UTAH, JULY 1984
(Employment in Thousands)

	Male			Female			Production Workers	
	July 1984(p)	% Change from July '83	Percent Distribution	July 1984(p)	% Change from July '83	Percent Distribution	July 1984(p)	Percent of Industry
TOTAL	**354.1**	4.8	100.0	**242.0**	7.0	100.0	**NA**	NA
Mining	**11.5**	—10.2	3.2	**0.7**	—22.2	0.3	**9.3**	76.2
Contract Construction	**32.9**	14.3	9.3	**2.9**	26.1	1.2	**29.7**	83.0
Manufacturing	**65.5**	9.5	18.5	**29.6**	13.4	12.2	**61.3**	64.5
Durable Goods	**49.3**	12.0	13.9	**18.5**	19.4	7.6	**43.6**	64.3
Nondurable Goods	**16.2**	2.5	4.6	**11.1**	5.7	4.6	**17.7**	64.8
Transportation, Commun., & Pub. Util.	**25.8**	0.0	7.3	**11.0**	3.8	4.5	**26.5**	72.0
Total Trade	**76.2**	2.8	21.5	**65.3**	10.5	27.0	**125.5**	88.7
Wholesale Trade	**27.5**	4.2	7.8	**9.0**	9.8	3.7	**30.6**	83.8
Retail Trade	**48.7**	2.1	13.7	**56.3**	10.8	23.3	**94.9**	90.4
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	**13.0**	5.7	3.7	**16.9**	5.6	7.0	**23.6**	78.9
Services	**58.1**	10.7	16.4	**59.6**	0.5	24.6	**91.8**	78.0
Total Government	**71.1**	—0.6	20.0	**56.0**	7.7	23.1	**NA**	NA
Federal Government	**24.8**	6.0	7.0	**13.1**	—8.4	5.4	**NA**	NA
U.S. Department of Defense	**16.2**	1.9	4.6	**6.1**	—4.7	2.5	**NA**	NA
Other Federal Government	**8.6**	14.7	2.4	**6.9**	—12.7	2.9	**NA**	NA
State Government	**17.0**	10.4	4.8	**17.0**	3.0	7.0	**NA**	NA
State Education	**10.5**	10.5	3.0	**7.8**	14.7	3.2	**NA**	NA
Other State Government	**6.5**	10.2	1.8	**9.2**	—5.2	3.8	**NA**	NA
Local Government	**29.3**	—10.7	8.3	**25.9**	22.2	10.7	**NA**	NA
Local Education	**13.4**	—18.8	3.8	**18.1**	33.1	7.5	**NA**	NA
Other Local Government	**15.9**	—2.5	4.5	**7.8**	1.3	3.2	**NA**	NA

p = preliminary.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services.

TABLE 5. LABOR FORCE AND EMPLOYMENT IN UTAH'S METROPOLITAN LABOR MARKET AREAS

	Salt Lake — Ogden[1]					Provo — Orem[2]				
	Aug. '84(f)	Aug. '83	% Chg.	July '84(p)	June'84(r)	Aug. '84(f)	Aug. '83	% Chg.	July'84(p)	June'84(r)
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	**463,000**	456,700	1.4	463,600	463,800	**87,600**	86,000	1.9	86,700	86,800
Employed	**438,100**	420,200	4.3	437,700	437,900	**82,200**	78,900	4.2	81,400	81,500
Unemployed	**24,900**	36,500	—31.8	25,900	27,900	**5,400**	7,100	—23.9	5,200	5,300
Percent of Labor Force	**5.4**	8.0	—	5.6	5.6	**6.2**	8.2	—	6.0	6.1
Total Nonagricultural Jobs	**425,900**	402,700	5.8	425,800	426,700	**66,900**	63,300	5.7	66,300	66,600
Mining	**4,400**	5,900	—25.4	4,400	5,700	**100**	100	0.0	100	100
Contract Construction	**24,200**	21,700	11.5	24,300	24,000	**3,800**	3,500	8.6	3,700	3,600
Manufacturing	**65,200**	59,600	9.4	64,700	64,400	**12,600**	11,300	11.5	12,200	12,300
Durable Goods	**47,500**	42,600	11.5	47,100	46,700	**9,400**	8,200	14.6	9,000	9,100
Nondurable Goods	**17,700**	17,000	4.1	17,700	17,700	**3,200**	3,100	3.2	3,200	3,100
Transp., Commun., & Pub. Util.	**28,400**	26,600	6.8	28,300	28,300	**2,500**	2,200	13.6	2,500	2,400
Total Trade	**106,100**	99,800	6.3	105,400	105,100	**14,100**	13,400	5.2	14,000	13,900
Wholesale Trade	**31,700**	30,100	5.3	31,900	31,500	**1,800**	1,700	5.9	1,800	1,800
Retail Trade	**74,500**	69,700	6.9	73,500	73,600	**12,300**	11,700	5.1	12,200	12,100
Finance, Insurance, & Real Est.	**24,500**	23,400	4.7	24,600	24,600	**2,100**	2,000	5.0	2,100	2,100
Services	**82,600**	78,000	5.9	82,600	81,900	**20,200**	19,500	3.6	20,200	20,300
Total Government	**90,500**	87,700	3.2	91,600	92,800	**11,600**	11,200	3.6	11,500	11,800

[1] Includes Salt Lake, Tooele, Davis, Morgan, and Weber counties.
[2] Coterminous with Utah County.
f = forecast, p = preliminary, r = revised. This forecast unemployment rate represents an advanced estimate consistent with the definition applicable to the CPS rate. This forecast rate should not be used for federal funding applications.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 6. CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE AND COMPONENTS IN UTAH BY PLANNING DISTRICT AND COUNTY

Planning District and County	Not Seas. Adj. Unemployment Rate				Civilian Labor Force			Nonag. Wage and Salary Jobs *		
	Aug.'84(f)	July'84(p)	June'84(r)	Aug.'83	Aug.'84(f)	Aug.'83	% Change	Aug.'84(f)	Aug.'83	% Change
State Total	**5.8**	6.0	6.2	8.4	**706,700**	698,300	1.2	**600,900**	567,500	5.9
Bear River	**4.5**	4.8	5.6	6.3	**47,900**	47,460	0.9	**34,760**	33,100	5.0
Box Elder	**4.0**	4.6	4.3	5.5	**19,240**	18,900	1.8	**13,320**	12,580	5.9
Cache	**4.8**	5.1	6.5	7.0	**25,540**	27,490	0.2	**20,920**	20,060	4.3
Rich	**2.7**	2.8	2.4	4.4	**1,120**	1,070	4.7	**520**	460	13.0
Wasatch Front	**5.4**	5.6	5.6	8.0	**462,990**	456,680	1.4	**426,480**	402,670	5.9
North	**4.7**	5.7	5.5	7.9	**144,670**	143,600	0.7	**103,350**	97,710	5.8
Morgan	**2.0**	2.3	3.1	4.4	**2,330**	2,300	1.3	**970**	900	7.8
Weber	**5.6**	6.9	6.4	9.5	**71,320**	71,360	—0.1	**52,650**	49,780	5.8
Davis	**4.0**	4.5	4.7	6.5	**71,020**	69,950	1.5	**49,740**	47,030	5.8
South	**5.7**	5.5	5.6	8.0	**318,320**	313,070	1.7	**323,120**	304,950	6.0
Salt Lake	**5.7**	5.6	5.7	8.1	**305,580**	300,600	1.7	**312,910**	295,050	6.1
Tooele	**4.9**	4.2	4.3	6.8	**12,740**	12,470	2.2	**10,210**	9,900	3.1
Mountainlands	**6.4**	6.5	6.7	8.8	**99,020**	96,930	2.2	**74,260**	69,740	6.5
Summit	**6.8**	8.9	9.6	11.6	**8,260**	7,600	8.7	**5,130**	4,380	17.1
Utah	**6.2**	6.0	6.1	8.2	**87,600**	86,020	1.8	**66,920**	63,250	5.8
Wasatch	**11.1**	12.4	15.0	17.1	**3,160**	3,300	—4.2	**2,210**	2,120	4.2
Central	**7.0**	7.5	7.9	8.7	**27,160**	25,960	4.6	**15,960**	14,440	10.5
Juab	**12.4**	12.7	12.9	14.5	**2,270**	2,270	0.0	**1,630**	1,560	4.5
Millard	**5.8**	6.9	6.3	7.6	**7,700**	6,510	18.3	**4,460**	3,510	27.1
Piute	**8.1**	12.1	8.1	7.2	**520**	520	0.0	**230**	220	4.5
Sanpete	**8.1**	8.9	10.2	10.6	**7,050**	7,210	—2.2	**3,860**	3,690	4.6
Sevier	**5.7**	5.2	6.3	6.9	**8,550**	8,450	1.2	**5,300**	5,040	5.2
Wayne	**5.6**	6.8	6.7	5.4	**1,070**	990	8.1	**490**	420	16.7
Southwestern	**6.7**	6.8	6.8	7.3	**26,270**	25,640	2.5	**17,870**	16,950	5.4
Beaver	**4.8**	5.6	6.3	6.3	**2,320**	2,350	—1.3	**1,330**	1,290	3.1
Garfield	**6.8**	8.1	9.3	6.3	**2,130**	2,160	—1.4	**1,640**	1,640	0.0
Iron	**6.3**	7.3	7.3	8.1	**8,290**	8,050	3.0	**6,150**	5,710	7.7
Kane	**6.4**	6.4	8.1	5.9	**2,050**	1,960	4.6	**1,240**	1,180	5.1
Washington	**7.4**	6.6	5.9	7.5	**11,480**	11,120	3.2	**7,520**	7,140	5.3
Uintah Basin	**6.2**	7.1	8.1	11.1	**19,800**	19,920	—0.6	**14,160**	13,220	7.3
Daggett	**1.5**	1.5	1.8	1.3	**530**	520	1.9	**310**	300	3.3
Duchesne	**7.2**	7.9	8.3	11.4	**7,440**	7,420	0.3	**4,800**	4,440	8.1
Uintah	**5.8**	6.9	8.3	11.4	**11,830**	11,970	—1.2	**9,060**	8,460	7.1
Southeastern	**10.4**	12.5	12.9	16.2	**23,560**	25,690	—8.2	**17,380**	17,440	—0.3
Carbon	**10.3**	12.5	12.1	20.3	**9,710**	10,970	—11.5	**7,570**	7,480	1.2
Emery	**10.4**	13.6	13.9	14.1	**6,390**	6,770	—5.6	**4,310**	4,310	0.0
Grand	**12.9**	13.9	14.8	14.3	**3,280**	3,550	—7.6	**2,490**	2,580	—3.5
San Juan	**8.5**	9.9	11.7	10.8	**4,180**	4,400	—5.0	**3,020**	3,060	—1.3

* Does not include agricultural services.
f = forecast, p = preliminary, r = revised. This forecast unemployment rate represents an advanced estimate consistent with the definition applicable to the CPS rate. This forecast rate should not be used for federal funding applications.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 7. HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN SALT LAKE-OGDEN LABOR AREA

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	July(p) 1984	June(r) 1984	July 1983	July(p) 1984	June(r) 1984	July 1983	July(p) 1984	June(r) 1984	July 1983
MINING	$491.23	$496.53	$501.93	40.1	40.5	39.0	$12.25	$12.26	$12.87
CONSTRUCTION	502.71	490.24	517.86	39.0	38.3	41.1	12.89	12.80	12.60
MANUFACTURING	363.09	350.14	343.09	39.9	40.2	39.3	9.10	8.71	8.73
Durable Goods	358.16	350.88	348.53	40.7	40.8	40.2	8.00	8.60	8.67
Nondurable Goods	378.10	349.07	328.19	38.0	38.7	37.0	9.95	9.02	8.87
TRANS, COMM, PUB. UTIL.,	452.28	449.16	429.04	39.5	39.4	39.8	11.45	11.40	10.78
TRADE	238.92	227.33	226.75	33.0	32.2	32.3	7.24	7.06	7.02
Wholesale Trade	386.00	357.78	363.26	38.6	37.9	38.4	10.00	9.44	9.46
Retail Trade	179.29	174.92	171.65	30.7	29.9	29.8	5.84	5.85	5.76
AVERAGE	324.90	314.87	313.61	36.1	35.7	35.8	9.00	8.82	8.76

Note: Average hours includes hours actually worked or remunerated. Average hourly and weekly earnings include incentive and premium pay. Data may be affected by labor disputes. p = preliminary. r = revised.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 8. HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN UTAH

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	July(p) 1984	June (r) 1984	July 1983	July (p) 1984	June (r) 1984	July 1983	July (p) 1984	June (r) 1984	July 1983
MINING	$516.00	$500.15	$494.76	43.0	42.1	39.9	$12.00	$11.88	$12.40
Metal Mining	500.63	494.00	506.11	37.5	38.0	38.4	13.35	13.00	13.18
Bituminous Coal Mining	626.67	607.21	442.76	42.4	40.4	29.4	14.78	15.03	15.06
CONSTRUCTION	484.43	477.16	477.39	38.6	37.9	38.1	12.55	12.59	12.53
MANUFACTURING	359.29	353.33	345.35	39.7	39.7	39.2	9.05	8.90	8.81
Durable Goods	377.20	369.65	363.71	41.0	40.8	40.1	9.20	9.06	9.07
Primary Metal Industries	541.82	570.63	512.62	40.8	41.5	37.2	13.28	13.75	13.78
Fabricated Metal Prod. & Mach.	357.21	351.49	341.11	40.5	41.4	38.5	8.82	8.49	8.86
Transportation Equipment	443.91	432.48	450.93	41.8	40.8	43.4	10.62	10.60	10.39
Nondurable Goods	315.73	312.91	305.86	36.5	36.9	37.3	8.65	8.48	8.20
Food & Kindred Products	310.84	316.57	313.94	38.0	40.9	40.3	8.18	7.74	7.79
Chemicals & Petroleum Products	558.58	531.53	510.27	43.2	41.3	42.7	12.93	12.87	11.95
TRANS., COMM., & PUB. UTIL.	457.20	451.56	421.61	40.0	39.3	39.7	11.43	11.49	10.62
TRADE	228.94	220.88	216.72	32.2	31.6	31.5	7.11	6.99	6.88
Wholesale Trade	372.94	349.69	350.78	37.9	37.4	37.8	9.84	9.35	9.28
Retail Trade	182.10	179.69	173.76	30.3	29.7	29.5	6.01	6.05	5.89
Food Stores	242.87	237.62	201.80	31.5	30.9	26.8	7.71	7.69	7.53
Other Retail	172.98	169.12	168.97	31.0	30.2	30.5	5.58	5.60	5.54
AVERAGE	325.44	318.44	311.87	36.0	35.5	35.4	9.04	8.97	8.81

Note: Average hours includes hours actually worked or remunerated. Average hourly and weekly earnings include incentive and premium pay. Data may be affected by labor disputes. p = preliminary. r = revised.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 9. EMPLOYMENT SECURITY ACTIVITIES IN UTAH

	THIS YEAR			YEAR AGO	
	Forecast Aug. '84	Preliminary July '84	Final June '84	Final Aug. '83	Final July '83
Number of New Nonfarm Jobs Listed	10,600	7,962	8,634	8,677	5,262
Job Openings Unfilled Last Month	4,691	4,121	5,150	4,233	3,482
Total Number of Nonfarm Jobs Available	15,291	12,083	13,784	12,910	8,744
Number of New Applications for Jobs	11,000	9,892	9,924	10,015	7,914
Total Nonfarm Job Placements	9,000	5,649	7,066	6,071	3,710
Initial Claims (Key Week)	1,488	1,561	1,246	1,673	1,852
Weeks Claimed (Key Week)	11,299	12,808	10,723	15,119	17,218
Monthly Insured Unemployment Rate (Key Week)	2.18	2.46	2.09	2.90	3.34
Amount of Unemployment Compensation Paid	$4,600,000	$4,243,933	$4,166,332	$7,040,285	$6,581,573

Note: All claims data include Regular UI, UCFE and UCX claims only.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services.

TABLE 10. CHARACTERISTICS OF THE UNEMPLOYED IN UTAH

INFORMATION NOT AVAILABLE
THIS MONTH

CURRENT PRICE INDEXES — UNITED STATES
1967 = 100

Item	Index					Percent Change			
	July '84	June '84	May '84	Apr. '84	July '83	From Last Month	July '83 to July '84	June '83 to June '84	May '83 to May '84	Apr. '83 to Apr. '84
CONSUMER PRICES:										
ALL ITEMS (CPI-U[1])	**311.7**	310.7	309.7	308.8	299.3	**0.3**	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.5
Food and Beverages	**295.3**	294.3	293.6	294.5	284.7	**0.3**	3.7	3.4	3.0	3.5
Food at Home	**292.5**	291.4	290.7	292.8	282.8	**0.4**	3.4	3.0	2.4	3.3
Housing	**338.1**	336.2	334.6	333.2	324.5	**0.6**	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0
Rent Residential	**249.7**	248.4	247.2	246.4	237.1	**0.5**	5.3	5.3	5.1	5.1
Fuel and Other Util.	**393.9**	390.0	385.5	380.9	375.5	**1.0**	4.9	4.4	4.4	4.8
Medical Care	**380.3**	378.0	376.8	375.7	357.7	**0.6**	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.3
Apparel and Upkeep	**196.6**	197.4	198.9	199.2	195.0	**—0.4**	0.8	0.9	1.4	1.9
Transportation	**312.9**	313.1	312.2	309.6	300.4	**—0.1**	4.2	5.0	5.4	5.9
Gasoline	**369.8**	374.9	376.7	374.0	389.3	**—1.4**	—5.0	—2.9	—3.5	1.7
Energy[2]	**428.3**	428.5	426.1	421.3	430.1	**0.0**	—0.4	0.3	1.1	2.8
PRODUCER PRICES:										
ALL COMMODITIES	**312.0**	311.4	311.7	311.4	303.2	**0.2**	2.9	3.0	3.4	3.6
Finished Goods	**292.6**	291.2	291.5	291.4	285.7	**0.5**	2.4	2.3	2.6	2.9
Intermediate Materials	**321.7**	321.6	320.8	320.2	312.8	**0.0**	2.8	3.3	3.6	3.7
Crude Materials	**334.5**	333.2	338.5	340.1	320.6	**0.4**	4.5	3.8	3.9	4.4

[1] Consumer Price Index — All Urban Consumers.
[2] Energy is a special group index consisting of prices paid for the following: Fuel Oil, Coal, Bottled Gas, Electricity, Gasoline, and Motor Oil and Coolant. (It is not one of the components of the "All Items" as its subcomponents are already included.)
Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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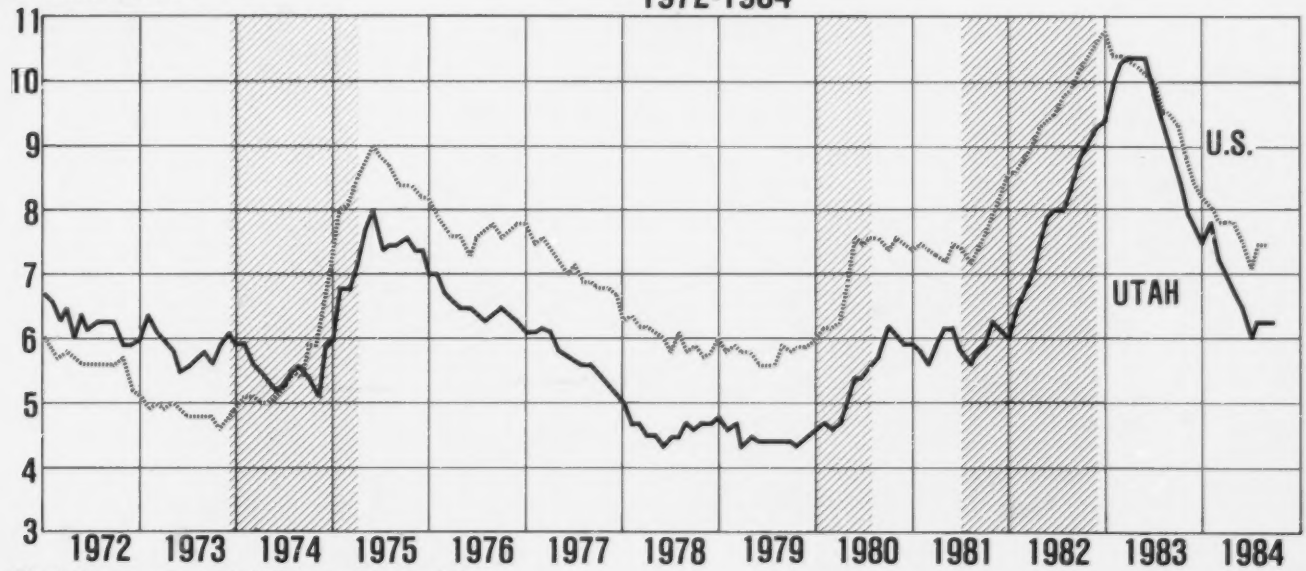
LOWER UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE TAX RATES EXPECTED FOR MANY UTAH EMPLOYERS IN 1985

Beginning in 1985 a "Benefit Ratio" system will replace "Payroll Variation" for determining unemployment insurance tax rates. The legislature's intent was to more equitably distribute unemployment insurance costs, caused by employers, by lowering the minimum and increasing the maximum tax rates. It is estimated that the minimum tax rate for 1985 will be 0.8%, compared to 2.25% in 1984; while the maximum tax rate will increase from 5.0% to 8.0%. As a result of these changes about 75% of Utah's 30,000 employers will have lower tax rates in 1985. Next month's issue will feature this new system and its tax effects.

Utah's economic picture remains bright, clouded only by the mining industry's continuing slump. As the state's economic expansion matures, employment growth has become less dramatic, but is still at a favorable level at this point in the business cycle.

Since national economic indicators remain largely stable, there is no reason to expect Utah's job growth trends to change significantly through 1984 and into next year.

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, UTAH AND THE U.S.
(Seasonally Adjusted)
1972-1984



Shaded area represents U.S. recession period determined by National Bureau of Economic Research.

Source: Utah Department of Employment Security.

NOT AS SPECTACULAR, BUT STILL STRONG

Over the past four quarters, Utah's nonagricultural year-over job growth returned to pre-recession levels: averaging 3.3 percent in fourth quarter '83, 5.3 percent in first quarter '84, 6.3 percent in 2nd quarter '84 and 5.3 percent in 3rd quarter '84. The peak month for year-over growth during this period was June '84, increasing 6.4 percent, or 35,900 jobs over June '83. Since then, employers having previously expanded hiring to meet consumers pent-up demands for products, have reduced the pace in providing new jobs. In September, the new job increase from a year ago was 27,300, or 4.7 percent, still a very respectable growth rate, but slower than a few months ago.

All major industry sectors, with the exception of mining (particularly metal and coal mining), shared in the production of new jobs in the past 12 months. However, employment in coal mining has stabilized at a reduced level of jobs in recent months, and other non-metal mining has experienced some job gains.

Strong growth has occurred in durable goods manufacturing (11.3 percent), construction (9.3 percent), retail building materials (9.8 percent), and in personal and business services (7.3 percent).

STATUS QUO

Utah's seasonally adjusted jobless rate for September, at 6.3 percent, stayed frozen for the third consecutive month. With employment growth slowing slightly during recent months unemployment has reacted accordingly, decreasing much less frequently than in the rapid-growth phase of the expansion. Although unemployment has not dipped in three months, it still signifies a much better economic condition than a year ago. The current rate (6.3 percent) and the number of unemployed (44,800) are substantially lower than last September's 8.4 percent and 58,500.

LOCAL LABOR MARKETS—GOOD AND BAD

Short-term economic trends in nearly all of Utah's counties are following local patterns established during the spring and summer months. The four counties in Southeastern Utah (Carbon, Emery, Grand and San Juan) continue to struggle with the effects of mining industry layoffs. Recent unemployment rate decreases in these areas are due to the unemployed either leaving the area or dropping out of the labor force, rather than increased job opportunities. Juab County, reeling from the closure of its major employer, has the highest unemployment rate (15.7 percent) in the state. Most other counties not hampered by specific economic difficulties have moderate to very low September 1984 unemployment rates (see Table 6).

Job growth in most counties remains good. Box Elder County showed an 8.3 percent gain in jobs over the past year—spurred by increased aerospace industry business; Millard County has experienced 22.9 percent growth, due to the Intermountain power project; and Summit County has a growth of 8.5 percent in jobs, as residential building activities continue strong.

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UNITED STATES CONSUMER PRICE INDEX — ALL ITEMS
1967 = 100

Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Annual Average	% Change from Prior Year
1967	98.6	98.7	98.9	99.1	99.4	99.7	100.2	100.5	100.7	101.0	101.3	101.6	100.0	2.8
1968	102.0	102.3	102.8	103.1	103.4	104.0	104.5	104.8	105.1	105.7	106.1	106.4	104.2	4.2
1969	106.7	107.1	108.0	108.7	109.0	109.7	110.2	110.7	111.2	111.6	112.2	112.9	109.8	5.4
1970	113.3	113.9	114.5	115.2	115.7	116.3	116.7	116.9	117.5	118.1	118.5	119.1	116.3	6.0
1971	119.2	119.4	119.8	120.2	120.8	121.5	121.8	122.1	122.2	122.4	122.6	123.1	121.3	4.3
1972	123.2	123.8	124.0	124.3	124.7	125.0	125.5	125.7	126.2	126.6	126.9	127.3	125.3	3.3
1973	127.7	128.6	129.8	130.7	131.5	132.4	132.7	135.1	135.5	136.6	137.6	138.5	133.1	6.2
1974	139.7	141.5	143.1	143.9	145.5	146.9	148.0	149.9	151.7	153.0	154.3	155.4	147.7	11.0
1975	156.1	157.2	157.8	158.6	159.3	160.6	162.3	162.8	163.6	164.6	165.6	166.3	161.2	9.1
1976	166.7	167.1	167.5	168.2	169.2	170.1	171.1	171.9	172.6	173.3	173.8	174.3	170.5	5.8
1977	175.3	177.1	178.2	179.6	180.6	181.8	182.6	183.3	184.0	184.5	185.4	186.1	181.5	6.5
1978	186.9	188.3	189.8	191.3	193.2	195.1								
-U	187.2	188.4	189.8	191.5	193.3	195.3	196.7	197.8	199.3	200.9	202.0	202.9	195.4	7.7
-W	187.1	188.4	189.7	191.4	193.3	195.3	196.7	197.7	199.1	200.7	201.8	202.9	195.3	7.6
1979-U	204.7	207.1	209.1	211.5	214.1	216.6	218.9	221.1	223.4	225.4	227.5	229.9	217.4	11.3
-W	204.7	207.1	209.3	211.8	214.3	216.9	219.4	221.5	223.7	225.6	227.6	230.0	217.7	11.5
1980-U	233.2	236.4	239.6	242.5	244.9	247.6	247.8	249.4	251.7	253.9	256.2	258.4	246.8	13.5
-W	233.3	236.5	239.9	242.6	245.1	247.8	248.0	249.6	251.9	254.1	256.4	258.7	247.0	13.5
1981-U	260.5	263.2	265.1	266.8	269.0	271.3	274.4	276.5	279.3	279.9	280.7	281.5	272.4	10.4
-W	260.7	263.5	265.2	266.8	269.1	271.4	274.6	276.5	279.1	279.7	280.4	281.1	272.3	10.2
1982-U	282.5	283.4	283.1	284.3	287.1	290.6	292.2	292.8	293.3	294.1	293.6	292.4	289.1	6.1
-W	282.1	282.9	282.5	283.7	286.5	290.1	291.8	292.4	292.8	293.6	293.2	292.0	288.6	6.0
1983-U	293.1	293.2	293.4	295.5	297.1	298.1	299.3	300.3	301.8	302.6	303.1	303.5	298.4	3.2
-W	292.1	292.3	293.0	294.9	296.3	297.2	298.2	299.5	300.8	301.3	301.4	301.5	297.4	3.0
1984-U	305.2	306.6	307.3	308.8	309.7	310.7	311.7	313.0						
-W	302.7	303.3	303.3	304.1	305.4	306.2	307.5	310.3						

-U = CPI for all urban consumers. -W = CPI for urban wage earners and clerical workers.

Source: Prepared by the Utah Department of Employment Security from tabulations published by Bureau of Labor Statistics, United States Department of Labor.

ACCRA* COMPOSITE COST-OF-LIVING COMPARISONS FOR SELECTED METROPOLITAN AREAS

SECOND QUARTER 1984

Component Index Weights:	100%	17%	22%	11%	13%	7%	30%
City	All Items	Groceries	Housing	Utilities	Transportation	Health Care	Miscellaneous
U.S. Average	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Salt Lake City, Utah	**98.0**	**100.3**	**97.4**	**88.2**	**97.5**	**106.8**	**98.9**
Provo-Orem, Utah	**95.9**	**100.1**	**91.8**	**89.3**	**98.4**	**100.0**	**96.8**
Phoenix, Arizona	105.5	96.3	113.9	97.3	102.3	120.2	105.4
Tucson, Arizona	98.1	96.3	108.2	76.6	92.4	92.3	103.3
Sacramento, California	105.0	99.3	118.3	59.5	118.0	123.8	105.0
San Diego, California	113.3	96.1	156.0	85.1	113.9	118.6	100.7
Colorado Springs, Colorado	97.7	103.7	106.4	64.7	100.2	106.5	97.0
Denver, Colorado	109.0	104.0	144.2	73.1	111.5	105.1	98.9
Billings, Montana	106.5	111.5	129.1	66.0	96.4	114.9	104.2
Great Falls, Montana	95.8	103.3	96.1	66.1	108.5	102.9	95.1
Las Vegas, Nevada	102.8	96.3	110.3	70.7	108.7	122.6	105.7
Reno-Sparks, Nevada	112.2	104.3	127.6	98.6	106.3	114.2	112.6
Tacoma, Washington	103.9	104.2	110.8	44.6	99.1	146.1	112.6
Casper, Wyoming	99.4	113.8	85.1	90.0	96.1	110.6	104.0
Evanston, Wyoming	104.5	103.7	108.6	85.7	103.1	115.9	106.7
Highest City	138.3 New York, NY	132.7 Anchorage, AK	171.9 Boca Raton, FL	201.1 New York, NY	125.3 New York, NY	194.6 Anchorage, AK	137.6 Anchorage, AK
Lowest City	87.6 Pueblo, CO	87.0 Springfield, IL	69.2 Missoula, MT	44.6 Tacoma, WA	70.8 Anniston, AL	69.4 Dyersburg, TN	90.4 Dutham-Gadsden, AL

Note: These indexes give a "reasonably accurate" measurement of intercity cost-of-living differencs. They measure relative price levels in participating cities, as compared with the national average of 100, and are a comparison of prices at a single point in time. They do not measure inflation (price changes through time). Percentage differences between cities should not be considered as exact measures. Spreads of three or fewer index whole numbers in the All Items index do not represent statistically significant differences and may not show which city is more expensive. Differences of more than three whole numbers in the All Items index can be considered to represent actual inter-city differences in costs of consumer goods and services; but the differences should be considered a reasonable indication rather than a precise measure of the extent of difference.

NA = Not available.

Source: *American Chamber of Commerce Researchers Association.

TABLE 1. CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE IN UTAH

	Sept. 1984(f)	Sept. 1983	% Change	Aug. 1984(p)	Aug. 1983	% Change	July 1984(r)	July 1983	% Change
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	721,400	703,300	2.6	715,100	698,300	2.4	705,800	694,400	1.6
Employed	680,900	649,000	4.9	673,500	639,800	5.3	663,000	631,300	5.0
Unemployed	40,500	54,300	−25.4	41,600	58,500	−28.9	42,800	63,200	−32.3
Percent of Labor Force	5.6	7.7	—	5.8	8.4	—	6.1	9.1	—
Percent of Labor Force Seasonally Adjusted	6.3	8.4	—	6.3	8.9	—	6.3	9.4	—

f = forecast, p = preliminary, r = revised. This forecast unemployment rate represents an advanced estimate consistent with the definition applicable to the CPS rate. This forecast rate should not be used for federal funding applications.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 2. EMPLOYEES ON NONAGRICULTURAL PAYROLLS, BY INDUSTRY, IN UTAH

	Sept. 1984(f)	Sept. 1983	% Change	Aug. 1984(p)	Aug. 1983	% Change	July 1984(r)	July 1983	% Change
Total	608,000	580,700	4.7	598,500	567,400	5.5	595,800	564,100	5.6
Mining	12,500	14,400	−13.9	12,400	14,100	−12.1	12,200	13,700	−10.9
Metal Mining	3,400	5,800	−41.4	3,400	5,600	−39.3	3,500	5,500	−36.4
Bituminous Coal Mining	2,700	3,000	−10.0	2,600	3,200	−18.8	2,500	3,100	−19.4
Other Mining & Quarrying	6,400	5,700	10.5	6,400	5,300	20.8	6,300	5,100	23.5
Contract Construction	36,800	33,500	9.3	36,500	32,700	11.6	35,700	31,100	14.8
Manufacturing	97,000	88,900	8.3	96,000	87,400	9.8	95,100	85,900	10.7
Durable Goods	69,400	61,700	11.3	68,600	60,600	13.2	67,900	59,500	14.1
Primary Metals	5,300	5,900	−10.2	5,400	5,800	−6.9	5,500	5,800	−5.2
Fabricated Metals & Machinery, Exc. Elec.	21,200	19,300	8.8	20,900	18,900	10.6	20,700	18,500	11.9
Electrical Equipment & Supplies	10,500	8,400	23.8	10,300	8,200	25.6	10,100	8,100	24.7
Transportation Equipment	14,400	11,500	23.5	14,200	11,300	25.7	14,000	11,100	26.1
Other Durable Goods	18,000	16,700	6.6	17,700	16,400	7.9	17,700	15,900	11.3
Non-Durable Goods	27,600	27,200	1.5	27,400	26,800	2.2	27,200	26,500	2.6
Food & Kindred Products	9,200	9,100	1.1	9,000	8,800	2.3	8,900	8,900	—
Textile & Apparel Products	6,200	6,300	−1.6	6,200	6,300	−1.6	6,200	6,100	1.6
Chemical & Petroleum Products	3,700	3,600	2.8	3,700	3,600	2.8	3,600	3,500	2.9
Other Non-Durable Goods	8,500	8,200	3.7	8,500	8,100	4.9	8,400	8,000	5.0
Trans., Comm., Pub. Util.	37,000	37,000	—	36,800	34,300	7.3	36,600	36,500	0.3
Railroad Transportation	3,800	3,800	—	3,800	3,800	—	3,700	3,800	−2.6
Other Transportation	16,900	16,300	3.7	16,800	16,200	3.7	16,700	15,900	5.0
Comm., & Elect., Gas & Pipeline	16,300	16,800	−3.0	16,200	14,200	14.1	16,300	16,800	−3.0
Trade	143,600	135,700	5.8	142,400	134,700	5.7	141,900	133,200	6.5
Wholesale Trade	37,000	34,900	6.0	36,800	34,800	5.7	36,700	34,600	6.1
Retail Trade	106,600	100,800	5.8	105,600	99,900	5.7	105,200	98,600	6.7
Building Materials	5,600	5,100	9.8	5,600	5,100	9.8	5,600	5,000	12.0
Food Stores	17,700	16,600	6.6	17,500	16,500	6.1	17,400	16,400	6.1
Automotive Dealers & Service Stations	12,600	11,800	6.8	12,700	11,800	7.6	12,700	11,700	8.5
Eating & Drinking Places	33,200	31,600	5.1	32,800	31,300	4.8	32,800	30,700	6.8
Other Retail	37,500	35,800	4.7	37,000	35,200	5.1	36,800	34,700	6.1
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	30,000	28,500	5.3	29,900	28,400	5.3	29,900	28,300	5.7
Services	120,400	115,000	4.7	117,800	112,200	5.0	117,900	111,800	5.5
Hotels & Other Lodging Places	9,400	9,000	4.4	9,400	8,800	6.8	9,300	8,700	6.9
Personal Business Services & Amusements	38,400	35,800	7.3	38,700	36,000	7.5	38,900	35,500	9.6
Medical & Other Health Services	31,300	31,200	1.0	31,400	31,100	1.0	31,500	31,000	1.6
Educational Services & Nonprofit Organ.	29,500	28,400	3.9	26,700	25,500	4.7	26,600	25,800	3.1
Other Services	11,600	9,100	27.5	11,700	10,700	9.3	11,600	10,700	8.4
Government	130,700	127,800	2.3	126,600	123,500	4.9	126,400	123,500	2.3
Federal Government	37,600	37,100	1.3	37,700	37,300	1.1	38,000	37,700	0.8
U.S. Federal Defense	22,300	22,000	1.4	22,400	22,200	0.9	22,500	22,300	0.9
Other Federal Government	15,300	15,100	1.3	15,300	15,200	0.7	15,500	15,400	0.6
State Government	33,800	32,700	3.4	33,000	32,000	3.1	32,900	31,900	3.1
State Education	18,100	17,100	5.8	17,300	16,200	6.8	17,200	16,300	5.5
Other State Government	15,700	15,600	0.6	15,800	15,700	0.6	15,700	15,600	0.6
Local Government	59,300	58,000	2.2	55,900	54,200	3.1	55,500	54,000	2.8
Local Education	36,300	34,800	4.3	32,200	30,500	5.6	31,800	30,100	5.6
Other Local Government	23,000	23,200	−0.9	23,700	23,700	—	23,700	23,800	−0.4
Labor—Management Disputes	0	0	—	0	2,610	—	0	0	—

Note: Labor disputes are added into civilian labor force totals, but are excluded from nonagricultural payroll job totals.
f = forecast, p = preliminary, r = revised.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 3. EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF UTAH'S POPULATION AND NONAGRICULTURAL JOBS BY INDUSTRY
(Numbers in Thousands, Seasonally Adjusted)

	Sept. '84 (f)	Sept. '83	Percent Change	Aug. '84 (p)	July '84 (r)	June '84	May '84	Apr. '84	Mar. '84	Feb. '84	Jan. '84
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	**711.5**	693.4	2.6	710.8	701.4	696.1	696.7	701.6	708.1	709.8	712.2
TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS	**666.7**	634.9	5.0	665.7	656.9	654.6	651.1	654.9	658.6	658.6	656.7
UNEMPLOYED PERSONS	**44.8**	58.5	—23.4	45.1	44.5	41.5	45.6	46.7	49.4	51.2	55.5
Unemployment Rate	**6.3**	8.4	—	6.3	6.3	6.0	6.5	6.7	7.0	7.2	7.8
NONAGRICULTURAL JOBS[1]	**599.1**	574.6	4.3	596.1	595.3	595.5	591.5	591.2	588.8	587.3	588.5
Mining	**12.4**	14.3	—13.3	12.2	12.1	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.9	13.8	14.2
Contract Construction	**33.4**	30.4	9.9	33.3	33.1	33.0	32.9	33.2	33.1	32.1	32.1
Manufacturing	**96.0**	87.9	9.2	95.1	94.5	94.2	94.0	93.7	92.5	91.4	90.6
Durable Goods	**68.8**	61.1	12.6	68.1	67.4	67.0	66.8	66.3	65.3	64.2	63.6
Nondurable Goods	**27.2**	26.8	1.5	27.0	27.1	27.2	27.2	27.4	27.2	27.2	27.0
Trans., Comm., & Publ. Util.	**36.5**	36.5	0.0	36.3	36.0	36.1	36.1	36.3	36.3	36.9	37.2
Trade	**142.3**	134.6	5.7	141.9	143.0	141.3	139.8	139.7	138.8	137.7	137.3
Wholesale	**36.7**	34.6	6.1	36.6	36.6	36.1	36.1	36.0	35.9	35.4	35.1
Retail	**105.6**	100.0	5.6	105.3	106.4	105.2	103.7	103.7	102.9	102.3	102.2
Finance, Ins., & Real Est.	**29.9**	28.4	5.3	29.8	29.8	29.6	29.7	29.3	29.2	29.2	29.1
Services	**117.1**	113.4	3.3	116.3	116.8	116.2	115.0	114.9	115.5	115.6	115.8
Government	**132.1**	129.1	2.3	131.7	130.4	131.3	130.4	130.3	129.8	129.9	129.9
Federal	**37.5**	37.0	1.4	37.2	37.1	37.1	37.3	37.2	37.3	37.3	37.3
State	**35.8**	34.6	3.5	35.3	35.1	35.6	34.6	34.6	34.4	34.6	34.5
Local	**58.8**	57.5	2.3	59.2	58.2	58.6	58.5	58.5	58.1	58.0	58.1

[1] Includes full and part-time jobs held by individuals, including multiple jobs held by the same person. Job figures are by place of work.
f = forecast, p = preliminary, r = revised.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services.

TABLE 4. DISTRIBUTION OF NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY SEX, AND PRODUCTION WORKERS, BY INDUSTRY, IN UTAH, AUGUST 1984
(Employment in Thousands)

	Male			Female			Production Workers	
	Aug. 1984(p)	% Change from Aug. '83	Percent Distribution	Aug. 1984(p)	% Change from Aug. '83	Percent Distribution	Aug. 1984(p)	Percent of Industry
TOTAL	**354.3**	3.9	100.0	**244.2**	7.8	100.0	**NA**	NA
Mining	**11.7**	—11.4	3.3	**0.7**	—22.3	0.3	**9.8**	79.0
Contract Construction	**33.6**	10.9	9.5	**2.9**	20.8	1.9	**29.9**	81.9
Manufacturing	**65.9**	9.1	18.6	**30.1**	11.5	12.3	**61.3**	63.9
Durable Goods	**49.5**	11.2	14.0	**19.1**	21.7	7.8	**43.5**	63.4
Nondurable Goods	**16.4**	3.1	4.6	**11.0**	0.9	4.5	**17.8**	65.0
Transportation, Commun., & Pub. Util.	**25.9**	3.2	7.3	**10.9**	18.5	4.5	**26.2**	71.2
Total Trade	**76.4**	1.9	21.6	**66.0**	10.6	27.0	**126.6**	88.9
Wholesale Trade	**27.7**	4.1	7.8	**9.1**	11.0	3.7	**31.0**	84.2
Retail Trade	**48.7**	0.6	13.7	**56.9**	10.5	23.3	**95.6**	90.5
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	**12.5**	0.0	3.5	**17.4**	9.4	7.1	**23.8**	79.6
Services	**57.0**	8.0	16.1	**60.8**	2.4	24.9	**92.1**	78.2
Total Government	**71.2**	—0.4	20.1	**55.4**	6.5	22.7	**NA**	NA
Federal Government	**24.6**	5.1	6.9	**13.1**	—5.8	5.4	**NA**	NA
U.S. Department of Defense	**16.1**	1.3	4.5	**6.3**	0.0	2.6	**NA**	NA
Other Federal Government	**8.5**	13.3	2.4	**6.8**	—9.3	2.8	**NA**	NA
State Government	**14.9**	—3.2	4.2	**18.1**	9.0	7.4	**NA**	NA
State Education	**8.5**	—9.6	2.4	**8.8**	29.4	3.6	**NA**	NA
Other State Government	**6.4**	8.3	1.8	**9.3**	—5.1	3.8	**NA**	NA
Local Government	**31.7**	—2.8	8.9	**24.2**	12.0	9.9	**NA**	NA
Local Education	**15.6**	—5.5	4.4	**16.6**	18.6	6.8	**NA**	NA
Other Local Government	**16.1**	0.0	4.5	**7.6**	0.0	3.1	**NA**	NA

p = preliminary.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services.

TABLE 5. LABOR FORCE AND EMPLOYMENT IN UTAH'S METROPOLITAN LABOR MARKET AREAS

	Salt Lake — Ogden[1]					Provo — Orem[2]				
	Sept. '84(f)	Sept. '83	% Chg.	Aug. '84(p)	July'84(r)	Sept. '84(f)	Sept. '83	% Chg.	Aug.'84(p)	July'84(r)
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	**470,000**	457,900	2.6	469,300	463,500	**93,200**	89,400	4.3	88,400	86,700
Employed	**445,700**	423,700	5.2	443,500	437,500	**87,000**	82,700	5.2	83,000	81,500
Unemployed	**24,300**	34,100	−28.7	25,800	26,000	**6,200**	6,700	−7.5	5,400	5,200
Percent of Labor Force	**5.2**	7.5	—	5.5	5.6	**6.6**	7.5	—	6.1	6.0
Total Nonagricultural Jobs	**430,000**	410,400	4.8	427,200	425,500	**70,300**	66,800	5.2	66,800	66,200
Mining	**4,400**	6,300	−30.2	4,400	4,400	**100**	100	0.0	100	100
Contract Construction	**24,800**	22,300	11.2	24,700	24,300	**3,600**	3,300	9.1	3,600	3,600
Manufacturing	**66,000**	60,600	8.9	65,300	64,800	**12,800**	11,400	12.3	12,600	12,200
Durable Goods	**48,000**	43,400	10.6	47,400	47,000	**9,600**	8,300	15.7	9,400	9,000
Nondurable Goods	**18,000**	17,200	4.7	17,900	17,800	**3,200**	3,100	3.2	3,200	3,200
Transp., Commun., & Pub. Util.	**28,400**	29,000	−2.1	28,300	28,300	**2,500**	2,500	0.0	2,500	2,500
Total Trade	**106,900**	100,400	6.5	106,100	105,400	**14,400**	13,800	4.3	14,100	14,000
Wholesale Trade	**32,300**	30,100	7.3	32,200	32,000	**1,800**	1,700	5.9	1,800	1,800
Retail Trade	**74,600**	70,300	6.1	73,900	73,500	**12,600**	12,100	4.1	12,300	12,200
Finance, Insurance, & Real Est.	**24,700**	23,400	5.6	24,600	24,600	**2,100**	2,000	5.0	2,100	2,100
Services	**82,200**	78,200	5.1	82,500	82,500	**22,900**	22,000	4.1	20,200	20,200
Total Government	**93,100**	90,300	3.1	91,200	91,300	**11,900**	11,700	1.7	11,600	11,500

[1] Includes Salt Lake, Tooele, Davis, Morgan, and Weber counties.
[2] Coterminous with Utah County.
f = forecast, p = preliminary, r = revised. This forecast unemployment rate represents an advanced estimate consistent with the definition applicable to the CPS rate. This forecast rate should not be used for federal funding applications.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 6. CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE AND COMPONENTS IN UTAH BY PLANNING DISTRICT AND COUNTY

Planning District and County	Not Seas. Adj. Unemployment Rate				Civilian Labor Force			Nonag. Wage and Salary Jobs		
	Sept.'84(f)	Aug.'84(p)	July'84(r)	Sept.'83	Sept.'84(f)	Sept.'83	% Change	Sept.'84(f)	Sept.'83	% Change
State Total	**5.6**	5.8	6.1	7.7	**721,400**	703,300	2.6	**608,000**	580,900	4.7
Bear River	**4.4**	4.5	4.9	5.1	**49,590**	47,760	3.8	**35,520**	33,840	5.0
Box Elder	**4.1**	4.1	4.6	5.1	**20,060**	18,970	5.7	**13,750**	12,700	8.3
Cache	**4.6**	4.9	5.1	5.0	**28,420**	27,610	2.9	**21,280**	20,640	3.1
Rich	**2.2**	2.5	2.8	6.8	**1,110**	1,180	−5.9	**490**	500	−2.0
Wasatch Front	**5.2**	5.5	5.6	7.5	**470,020**	457,860	2.7	**429,970**	410,430	4.8
North	**4.3**	4.8	5.7	7.7	**146,490**	144,490	1.4	**104,400**	99,120	5.3
Morgan	**2.5**	2.2	2.4	3.6	**2,390**	2,300	3.9	**970**	940	3.2
Weber	**5.1**	5.8	6.9	9.2	**72,140**	71,740	0.6	**53,380**	50,650	5.4
Davis	**3.6**	3.9	4.6	6.4	**71,960**	70,450	2.1	**50,040**	47,530	5.3
South	**5.6**	5.8	5.6	7.3	**323,520**	313,370	3.2	**325,570**	311,310	4.6
Salt Lake	**5.6**	5.9	5.6	7.4	**310,610**	300,830	3.3	**315,370**	301,380	4.6
Tooele	**4.5**	4.6	4.2	6.6	**12,910**	12,540	3.0	**10,200**	9,930	2.7
Mountainlands	**6.7**	6.4	6.5	8.0	**104,160**	100,140	4.0	**77,240**	73,320	5.3
Summit	**6.8**	6.9	8.9	11.0	**7,850**	7,540	4.1	**4,740**	4,370	8.5
Utah	**6.6**	6.1	6.0	7.5	**93,150**	89,370	4.2	**70,300**	66,830	5.2
Wasatch	**10.6**	11.7	12.4	15.3	**3,160**	3,240	−2.5	**2,200**	2,120	3.8
Central	**6.5**	6.7	7.5	7.4	**27,730**	26,400	5.0	**16,120**	15,040	7.2
Juab	**15.7**	12.3	12.9	13.6	**2,130**	2,270	−6.2	**1,450**	1,580	−8.2
Millard	**5.4**	5.7	6.9	6.7	**8,010**	6,810	17.6	**4,620**	3,760	22.9
Piute	**10.1**	7.6	12.1	6.4	**560**	530	5.7	**230**	230	0.0
Sanpete	**7.1**	7.9	8.9	8.1	**7,380**	7,340	0.5	**4,030**	3,920	2.8
Sevier	**4.8**	5.6	5.2	5.9	**8,600**	8,410	2.3	**5,320**	5,100	4.3
Wayne	**4.9**	4.5	6.8	5.2	**1,050**	1,040	1.0	**460**	450	2.2
Southwestern	**6.5**	6.7	6.8	6.9	**26,910**	25,990	3.5	**18,220**	17,460	4.4
Beaver	**4.6**	5.2	5.8	5.9	**2,310**	2,270	1.8	**1,300**	1,240	4.8
Garfield	**6.2**	6.3	8.1	5.9	**2,140**	2,140	0.0	**1,630**	1,630	0.0
Iron	**7.0**	6.6	7.3	7.6	**8,790**	8,330	5.5	**6,420**	6,020	6.6
Kane	**5.3**	5.7	6.4	5.5	**1,970**	1,910	3.1	**1,220**	1,180	3.4
Washington	**6.9**	7.3	6.6	7.1	**11,700**	11,350	3.1	**7,640**	7,390	3.4
Uintah Basin	**6.4**	6.2	7.2	9.7	**20,060**	19,660	2.0	**14,110**	13,280	6.3
Daggett	**1.5**	1.5	1.5	1.4	**520**	500	4.0	**310**	300	3.3
Duchesne	**7.0**	6.8	8.0	10.2	**7,560**	7,470	1.2	**4,820**	4,560	5.7
Uintah	**6.2**	6.1	7.0	9.7	**11,970**	11,680	2.5	**8,970**	8,420	6.5
Southeastern	**9.5**	10.2	12.6	15.8	**22,920**	25,460	−10.0	**16,610**	17,500	−3.4
Carbon	**9.6**	9.8	12.6	20.2	**9,600**	10,920	−12.1	**7,500**	7,530	−0.4
Emery	**8.9**	10.5	13.7	13.5	**6,310**	6,730	−6.2	**4,280**	4,350	−1.6
Grand	**13.1**	11.3	13.9	14.2	**3,070**	3,490	−12.0	**2,300**	2,580	−10.9
San Juan	**7.5**	10.0	9.8	9.7	**3,940**	4,330	−9.0	**2,820**	3,040	−7.2

f = forecast, p = preliminary, r = revised. This forecast unemployment rate represents an advanced estimate consistent with the definition applicable to the CPS rate. This forecast rate should not be used for federal funding applications.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 7. HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN SALT LAKE-OGDEN LABOR AREA

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Aug.(p) 1984	July(r) 1984	Aug. 1983	Aug.(p) 1984	July(r) 1984	Aug. 1983	Aug.(p) 1984	July(r) 1984	Aug. 1983
MINING	$490.01	$490.86	$510.32	40.8	40.5	39.9	$12.01	$12.12	$12.79
CONSTRUCTION	490.99	502.32	538.46	38.6	39.0	42.6	12.72	12.88	12.64
MANUFACTURING	352.84	352.34	341.68	39.6	39.5	39.5	8.91	8.92	8.65
Durable Goods	354.24	350.80	346.58	40.3	40.0	40.3	8.79	8.77	8.60
Nondurable Goods	351.50	355.09	328.88	38.0	38.1	37.5	9.25	9.32	8.77
TRANS, COMM, PUB. UTIL.	456.30	451.52	424.99	39.0	39.4	38.6	11.70	11.46	11.01
TRADE	233.59	238.59	227.55	32.9	33.0	32.6	7.10	7.23	6.98
Wholesale Trade	371.33	384.23	361.95	38.4	38.5	39.3	9.67	9.98	9.21
Retail Trade	178.37	179.87	173.72	30.7	30.8	29.9	5.81	5.84	5.81
AVERAGE	318.79	321.84	314.52	35.9	36.0	35.7	8.88	8.94	8.81

Note: Average hours includes hours actually worked or remunerated. Average hourly and weekly earnings include incentive and premium pay. Data may be affected by labor disputes. p = preliminary. r = revised.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 8. HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN UTAH

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Aug.(p) 1984	July (r) 1984	Aug. 1983	Aug. (p) 1984	July (r) 1984	Aug. 1983	Aug. (p) 1984	July (r) 1984	Aug. 1983
MINING	$526.05	$486.14	$531.70	45.0	42.2	42.4	$11.69	$11.52	$12.54
Metal Mining	509.95	511.27	512.34	38.4	37.9	39.2	13.28	13.49	13.07
Bituminous Coal Mining	619.65	475.83	576.96	40.5	31.1	38.8	15.30	15.30	14.87
CONSTRUCTION	477.66	484.91	495.26	38.0	38.7	39.4	12.57	12.53	12.57
MANUFACTURING	363.60	353.81	342.70	40.0	39.4	39.3	9.09	8.98	8.72
Durable Goods	387.99	373.27	360.69	41.9	41.2	40.3	9.26	9.06	8.95
Primary Metal Industries	788.92	565.94	505.59	49.9	41.4	38.1	15.81	13.67	13.27
Fabricated Metal Prod. & Mach.	356.97	353.10	347.31	41.8	40.4	39.2	8.54	8.74	8.86
Transportation Equipment	449.28	443.26	448.67	43.2	43.8	43.1	10.40	10.12	10.41
Nondurable Goods	304.79	307.13	304.37	35.4	35.1	37.3	8.61	8.75	8.16
Food & Kindred Products	309.16	310.90	303.38	38.5	38.1	39.4	8.03	8.16	7.70
Chemicals & Petroleum Products	528.32	558.58	487.90	41.6	43.2	41.0	12.70	12.93	11.90
TRANS., COMM., & PUB. UTIL.	457.82	457.25	430.06	38.7	39.9	39.6	11.83	11.46	10.86
TRADE	224.32	229.26	216.19	32.0	32.2	31.7	7.01	7.12	6.82
Wholesale Trade	357.38	370.44	349.20	37.5	37.8	38.5	9.53	9.80	9.07
Retail Trade	180.90	183.92	173.17	30.2	30.4	29.5	5.99	6.05	5.87
Food Stores	238.54	242.87	204.17	31.1	31.5	26.9	7.67	7.71	7.59
Other Retail	172.07	174.47	174.02	31.4	31.1	30.8	5.48	5.61	5.65
AVERAGE	323.27	323.10	314.64	35.8	35.9	36.0	9.03	9.00	8.74

Note: Average hours includes hours actually worked or remunerated. Average hourly and weekly earnings include incentive and premium pay. Data may be affected by labor disputes. p = preliminary. r = revised.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services. Prepared in conjunction with U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE 9. EMPLOYMENT SECURITY ACTIVITIES IN UTAH

	THIS YEAR			YEAR AGO	
	Forecast Sept. '84	Preliminary Aug. '84	Final July '84	Final Sept. '83	Final Aug. '83
Number of New Nonfarm Jobs Listed	12,900	11,487	7,962	9,524	8,677
Job Openings Unfilled Last Month	5,120	4,691	4,121	4,993	4,233
Total Number of Nonfarm Jobs Available	18,020	16,178	12,083	14,517	12,910
Number of New Applications for Jobs	10,500	11,328	9,892	9,542	10,015
Total Nonfarm Job Placements	9,200	8,394	5,649	7,026	6,071
Initial Claims (Key Week)	1,605	1,488	1,561	1,460	1,641
Weeks Claimed (Key Week)	10,357	11,299	10,856	14,138	15,119
Monthly Insured Unemployment Rate (Key Week)	1.99	2.18	2.26	2.55	2.90
Amount of Unemployment Compensation Paid	$4,050,000	$4,641,968	$4,243,933	$5,349,048	$7,040,285

Note: All claims data include Regular UI, UCFE, and UCX, claims only.
Source: Utah Department of Employment Security, Labor Market Information Services.